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ERNST REPLIES TO ALBERT SCOTT

Brands as False Charges of
Willson Supporter.

Defends Himself in Vigorous Style
From Charges of Mis-
representation.

"Unqualifiedly false" is the brand placed by Richard P. Ernst, candidate for the Republican nomination for the United States Senate, upon a statement issued Friday evening by Albert Scott, a leading Republican, attacking Mr. Ernst.

Mr. Scott, who is a supporter of Augustus E. Willson, Mr. Ernst's opponent in the race for the Senatorial nomination, accused Ernst of deception in the issuance of campaign literature which, he asserted, was "glaringly untrue."

Mr. Scott claimed credit for the management of Mr. Willson's campaign for Governor in 1907 and denounced Mr. Ernst because, he charged, some of the latter's campaign circulars sought to convey the impression that Ernst had been responsible for Willson's election.

Mr. Ernst at his home in Covington, made public his reply to Mr. Scott, in which he charges the latter with deliberate misrepresentation, at the same time deploring the public controversy, which he admits will injure the party, as similar bitter personalities are destroying the Democratic party's chances for success.

Mr. Ernst's letter follows:

"Covington, Ky., July 25, 1914.
"Mr. Albert Scott,
"Chairman for Republican Campaign Committee for Kentucky for 1907.

"Dear Sir:
"Your letter of July 24 just received. You state that in campaign literature, being sent out from my headquarters, that credit is being given to and assumed by me for the organization, management and success of Mr. Willson's campaign for Governor in 1907.

"I desire to state, as emphatically as I can, that your statement is unqualifiedly false.
"No literature from my headquarters or any authorized by me, contains such statement.

"Your own letter proves the falsity of your charges.

"First—The article you refer to as published in my behalf in the colored newspapers, I do not remember even to have seen. It was not suggested by me or sent out from my headquarters and I know absolutely nothing, about it. So much of the statement as states that I was chairman of the Republican State Committee is true, for I was chairman when Willson was elected and had been for nearly four years.

"Second—You complain of the campaign leaflet bearing my portrait and sent out from my headquarters. I acknowledge full responsibility for this article, tho it was not written by me or at my suggestion and I never saw it until it appeared in the magazine of Mr. Howard Saxby, who wrote it. His statement that I was State Chairman when Kentucky went Republican the last time, is absolutely true, as above stated.

"Third—You next quote two editorials from the Louisville Evening Post. Living in Louisville, I should not think it necessary to have to say to you that I am not responsible for the editorial matter of the Evening Post and that such matter is not prepared in or sent out from my headquarters.

"The fact is that, for nearly four years prior to Mr. Willson's election, I labored day and night to perfect the Republican organization throughout the State, establishing and maintaining a permanent headquarters, which were open every day throughout the year, excepting Sunday, and to which I made frequent trips, thruout that entire period.

"At the end of that time, the organization was, in my judgment, in better shape than it has ever been, before or since.

"Mr. Willson was the direct beneficiary of the time, money and labor spent during that four-year period in perfecting the organization, and, let me add, that during that period

I spent more both of money and time in carrying on the work, than did any other person.

"I am compelled, therefore, in view of the facts, to accept my full share of responsibility for the election of Governor Willson and for his four years' administration.

"You complain, in harsh language, about my absence from Kentucky during the Willson campaign. If you did not know the reason for my absence, there are many in Louisville who then knew and now know that I was severely ill, being confined to my bed in the city of Philadelphia and in the private hospital of and under the care of the widely-known specialist, Dr. Francis Xavier Dercum; that I did not leave my bed from about the middle of August until late in October, a period of nine weeks.

"Even from my bed I kept informed and interested in the situation in Kentucky by means of letters and thru friends from home who came to Philadelphia for that purpose.

"I was especially interested in the vote in Covington and Kenton county and you may possibly know that, tho Kenton County is a Democratic stronghold, we gave Mr. Willson a plurality over his opponent of more than 1,100 votes.

"You mention my subscription of \$100 to the campaign fund. That amount represents but a small part of my total gifts during that election period. The contributions from my district, the Sixth, to the campaign fund, were, I am informed, exceeded only by those of the Louisville district, where Mr. Willson resides.

"Let me add further, that others who held high office in the Willson administration entertain no such feeling toward me as those you have expressed. As conclusive evidence of that fact, I have in this campaign the warm support of the following distinguished gentlemen, all of whom were identified with the Willson administration:

"Hon. William H. Cox, then Lieutenant Governor.
"Hon. Frank P. James, then Auditor of State.
"Hon. Ben L. Bruner, then Secretary of State.

"Hon. Napier Adams, then Clerk of the Court of Appeals.
"Hon. Thomas B. McGregory, then Assistant Attorney General.

"There are also others connected with that administration who are actively aiding me.

"I much regret that you and those associated with you in the present campaign for Mr. Willson have thought it necessary or expedient to write a letter, the effect of which cannot possibly tend to benefit the party. I have thought that the warfare waged by our Democratic friends is extremely bad for that party, and, for that reason, I have refrained from making any statement which could possibly be construed into a reflection upon Gov. Willson, or any one engaged in furthering his candidacy, tho, by reason of vicious misrepresentation, I have been sorely tempted to get into a personal controversy.

"Let me say, in conclusion, that I, furthermore, very deeply regret that you thought Mr. Willson's case so desperate that you find it necessary to resort to misrepresentation. The fact that your 1907 campaign services were rewarded by an appointment from Gov. Willson, which paid you \$2,500 a year for four years, is surely not sufficient reason for such action on your part.

"It is not pleasant for me to tell you that your statement, that my campaign is based upon deception, is absolutely untrue, and I would not want a nomination for office which had to be obtained in that manner.

"If you had the courtesy to have sent me a copy of your letter before you published it, I could have easily convinced you of the falsity of your charges without having a public controversy.

"However, you failed to do so, and I must, therefore, in justice to myself, publish my answer to your letter.

"RICHARD P. ERNST."

WANT AD COLUMN FEATURE.

Beginning with this issue this paper will maintain a want ad column in which for a trifle any one may give notice of any article for sale or exchange. This column will be of great assistance to our farmer readers and will save them many dollars in the course of a year. The rates will be for 5 lines and under, 10cts. For over 5 lines and under 10, 25cts. The amount may be sent in postage stamps or enclosed in letter accompanying the advertisement.

DR. LINDSEY MORRISON FOR CONGRESS

This little notice with the accompanying photograph is intended to call the attention of the Republicans of Ohio county to my candidacy for the Republican nomination for Congress at the primary, August 1st, and is especially directed to those whom I've not had an opportunity to see or write a personal letter.

I have old schoolmates and friends scattered over the county and am personally known to many, tho not quite so well as in Hardin, Tipton, LaRue and Grayson where almost every one has known me from my boyhood. I have lived in nine of the thirteen counties of the Fourth District and have warm friends in the other four.

Tho active in the interest of the party for many years I never ran for office before and have no record to point to other than a clean and busy life, much of it spent in the interest of the community in which my lot was cast and I trust I am not expecting too much when I express the hope that Republicans in large numbers will come out to the primary and vote for me.

I shall appreciate the thoughtful



consideration of every one and if I am the nominee I should like every Republican to write me giving name and address for I shall want to see every one as soon after the primary as possible.

Sincerely,
LINDSEY MORRISON.
West Point, Ky.

OHIO COUNTY BOYS GO WRONG

Forged Check Causes Remus Barnett Held To Grand Jury.

Remus Barnett and Parthenia Rogers, the latter about 21 years of age, were tried before Judge Lancaster Monday afternoon on the charge of having defrauded J. E. Jolley, proprietor of the saloon, corner of Fredonia and Second streets out of \$14 by means of forged check. Barnett was held over to the grand jury and, being unable to give bond, he was returned to jail. There was no direct evidence against the girl, so she was dismissed.

The main witness for the prosecution was the Rogers girl, who seemed to be a straight-forward story about the transaction. She said that Walter Malone, Remus Barnett and Joe Early came to her home near Mangan on the Sunday night preceding their trip to Owensboro. She said it was about 11 o'clock, and she was to come to Owensboro and marry Joe Early. They did come to this city, accompanied by Barnett and Malone. She stated that the boys finally got some money, and she was given \$11. She did not marry Early but returned to her home about Wednesday of that week, after going to Central City and Browder. Miss Rogers stated that after they left Owensboro she heard the boys telling about putting the forged check over, and that Joe Early represented himself to be Clarence Smith. The girl said that the next day she went to Dundee and notified the cashier of the forged check.

The Rogers girl said that she had frequently been in Owensboro, and at one time worked at the Farmers' hotel. She said that it was all off now between her and Joe Early. Warrants are out for Malone and Early, and it is believed that they will be apprehended within a few days.—Owensboro Inquirer.

Five Arrests Made.

Greenville, Ky., July 28.—Sheriff Robert Wickliffe rounded up and arrested three of the men charged with "shooting up" the store of the Bever Coal Company. Two others were not able to be brought to Greenville, and arrangements were made to bring them when they sufficiently recovered. All were suffering from gunshot wounds. Warrants were taken for all, charging them with banding and confederating for the purpose of intimidation.

Their names are Will Vance, shot in back and above with buckshot; George Wilkes, shot with buckshot; Joe Pijer, shot in the arm and back with buckshot; Will Kimbley, shot in leg with buckshot; Emmett Cassan, shot in leg with buckshot.

These men are alleged to have been shot by J. P. Cox, general manager of the Bever Coal company, while an attack was being made on his store building for the purpose of inducing him to come out of the building. They will claim, it is said, that they were merely passing by when the shooting occurred.

STANLEY CLASHES WITH JOHN PRIEST

Affidavit Produced Showing He Tried to Get McLean Delegate to Bolt.

Calhoun Ky., July 27.—At a speaking appointment of A. D. Stanley here tonight before about 200 people, many of them ladies, Stanley and John Priest, county clerk of this county, had a sharp passage of words, quite a joint debate for a while.

Stanley commenced speaking in bitter words of Priest's opposition to him, saying he had some years ago traveled 600 miles to come here and assure Priest he should be census supervisor for McLean county.

Priest arose and interrupted the speaker, saying he wanted to correct him; that Stanley had not come here on that occasion but asked him to meet him at Dawson Springs, and the real object of the meeting was to head off threatened opposition to Stanley. He said, however, during the talk Stanley told him he would get him appointed supervisor provided he would get the endorsement of Bill Boston, but it turned out Stanley had nothing to do with these appointments, and they were made by Governor Bradley. He said he had been serving Stanley many years.

Priest asked Stanley if, in the 1911 state convention, he didn't try to get the McLean county delegates to bolt their instructions to vote to put the uniform county unit in the platform.

Stanley denied this. Priest then said he had the affidavit of one of the McLean county delegates to this effect.

Stanley replied that he didn't care and didn't want to hear this. He then said the Henderson delegation was instructed to vote "wet," while he was in Washington, and he had nothing to do with it. He was put on the delegation by courtesy and at Louisville cast the vote of Henderson county in the convention as instructed.

The incident between Priest and Stanley created quite a flurry. Stanley also spoke today at Island, Livermore and Sacramento to very good crowds. Tonight he left for Owensboro and will speak in Union county tomorrow.

The affidavit to which County Clerk Priest referred in his colloquy with Mr. Stanley, was as follows:

"The affiant, J. E. Walters, states that he was a delegate from McLean county to the platform convention held in Louisville in August, 1911, in which the county unit plank was an issue before that convention, and that the McLean county delegates were instructed to vote for the county unit plank. Affiant further states that A. O. Stanley came to the McLean county delegates and urged them to bolt their instructions and vote against the county unit plank, and said that he would come to McLean county and smooth matters over for them if the people got angry with him about it.

(Signed) "J. E. WALTERS,"
Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 21st day of July, 1911.

(Signed) "CHARLES WALTERS,
"Clerk LaRue County Court."

Villa Speaks.

More or less authoritatively Villa's comment on his pacification is given out to a world that expects him to have a good deal more to do with the actual work than Carranza, Carbajal and company.

Allowing for a pardonable amount of display, a sort of attempt to the fear of God into the people of Mexico City, what Villa stands out for seems practical and workable enough. It is at all events, not the least bit visionary. These are his demands:

The Constitutional forces must parade in the Federal City.

The Federal army must be disbanded.

A new army must be created, primarily for police purposes. It should be of picked men and would correspond to Diaz' famous force of "Rurales."

Widows of the soldiery must be pensioned.

Retired soldiers must be granted free land.

The same conditions should apply to peons.

Mining companies must not run stores, and so virtually enslave the miners.

Separation of church and state to be real, not theoretic.

Strict regulation of the production and distribution of intoxicants of all kinds.

When all these conditions are met there will, Villa thinks, be time to revise the laws and constitution, and other such trifles. But these have the first place.

"I have spoken," added Pancho, for quite a while past, accustomed to the last word.—Louisville Herald.

American Road Congress.

At least six great national organizations are expected to hold distinct sessions at the Fourth American Road Congress, which will be held in Atlanta, Georgia, during the week of November 9, under the auspices of the American Highway Association and the American Automobile Association. A session devoted to the discussion of the merit system in the management of public roads will be held by the National Civil Service Reform League. As there are more than 100,000 petty officials having authority in road matters throughout the United States and as there is an annual expenditure well over \$200,000,000, at least \$50,000,000 of which is wasted every year according to expert judgment, the field of usefulness for the League is a broad one. Ways and means of bringing about an efficiency or merit system in the present loose political organization, will engage the attention of the delegates at the Congress for one full session. President Richard Henry Dana of the National Civil Service Reform League, will be one of the presiding officers.

An exact compilation of every existing road law in each of the forty-eight states is nearing completion and will form the basis for analysis and proposed revision at an exceedingly important session of the Congress to be directed by special committees of the American Bar Association and the American Highway Association. It is expected that this session will result in a comprehensive plan of simplified and efficient road legislation, which may be presented through the governors of the states to each legislature, at their next session.

At the Third American Road Congress, held last year in Detroit one of the most interesting sessions was that relating to finance, which was held under the auspices of a committee from the American Bankers Association. A large portion of the 4000 delegates present at the Detroit meeting attended the finance session and paid close attention to the proceedings. This year's congress will devote particular attention to the financing of road improvement in view of the fact that upwards of a half billion dollars of road bonds are now outstanding and questions relating to issuance of new bonds and methods of retirement are assumed increasing importance.

I. S. Pennybacker, Executive Secretary of the Road Congress, with headquarters at Washington, D. C., states that indications are that the Atlanta Congress will attract the largest assemblage of delegates and visitors over assembling at a non-political public welfare meeting in America.

IS TRAPPED WITH SHARK

Bites Great Chunks of Flesh
From His Legs.

Rescued Unconscious, He Describes
Encounter That Nearly
Cost His Life.

New Orleans, La., July 28.—As a result of a battle with a man-eating shark, Benvenuto Lopez, a Spanish fisherman of Barataria Bay, is in Charity Hospital here with two large pieces of flesh gone from his right leg. He probably will be a cripple for life.

One of Lopez's wounds is a gash 8 inches long and 4 inches wide at the widest part near the right hip. Near the knee on the same leg is another bite 4 1-2 inches long and 2 inches wide. The pieces of flesh were taken out of both by the teeth of the shark as cleanly as if cut with a knife. Lopez's youth and splendid vitality, for he is only 22 years old and has lived in the open all his life, saved him, according to Dr. C. D. Wilkins.

"Barataria Bay is an almost land-locked body of salt water, connected with the gulf by a narrow channel," said Lopez. "I have fished there almost all my life, and never saw anything more dangerous than the big flat stingrays which swarm on the bottom. Two days ago, with my father and brothers, I was sailing. It became necessary for me to 'make the lead line' to hold the seine on the bottom. To do this I had to step inside the net.

"I saw a school of fish coming, leading and racing along, and hurried so as to get the seine all set that we might make a big catch. Just as I got my lines down I felt the flat swarming about my bare legs, dashing blindly as though something was pursuing them. In the middle of the net, which was about 100 feet in diameter, I saw a high gray fin sticking out the water, while all about floated heads and fragments of fish.

"Though I had never been so close to a shark, I knew from my father's stories that this was a 'tiger of the sea.' I started to climb over the net. Then I found that I was trapped. I could not pull the upper rope down far enough to climb over, nor could I crawl under.

The gray fin kept coming nearer, until I could see the shark, swimming lazily just a few inches beneath the surface of the water. I made a dash for one of the posts. My father and brother had gone ashore, about 100 yards distant. My cries did not attract the attention of my father and brothers until the shark had bitten me.

"I was in 4 feet of water and could not run to the posts supporting the seine, so I struck out to swim. The shark turned on me. Turning half on his side, he made a dash at my legs, probably mistaking them for fish. I turned, fascinated with fear, though I still tried to swim on, and saw his open jaws, and the next instant felt them snap together in my leg.

"The first bite was the one next the knee. He bit clean, and with a piece of my leg in his mouth, dashed under and past me. I redoubled my efforts to reach the post, then not more than 30 feet away.

"He returned to the attack. I felt a sensation as if some one had plunged a red hot iron into my leg just below the hip. I could feel his teeth tear through the muscles, and then I threw both arms around the post, tried to clamber up, and fell back, unconscious, into the water.

"The next thing I knew my father and brothers had me in their boat drawn up on the sandy shore of the bay. One of my brothers was in my skull killing the shark with a boat-hook. It seems that when father and brothers reached the post I had sunk to the bottom.

"The shark measured 14 feet, and was the largest one my father remembers seeing in all his life."

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SAVING THE PLAY

Actors Are Often Called Upon to Exercise Quick Wit.

SOME CURIOUS EXPERIENCES.

Ross Eyttinge Once Extemporized the Entire Part of Lady Isabel in "East Lynne"—How John Brougham Made a Hit Without His Leading Lady.

Quick wit has saved many an embarrassing situation, turned many a seemingly disastrous failure into success. Politics, literature, courtesy, all are served by quick tongue and ready word.

Actors, as well as business men, have special use for quick wit, so often do they need help out of a difficulty during the play. A college performance was saved from wreckage by one of the young actors.

One of the cast, a boy easily upset, had just given his line, "All I need is an advertisement," when half of his stage mustache fell off.

"Oh, no," said the ready youth beside him, seeing his embarrassment; "what you need is a hair restorer."

And under cover of the laughter the victim had a chance to recover himself.

It was surely the same readiness that enabled those Eyttinge to go through one of the most extraordinary experiences any actress ever had.

In San Francisco she was once asked to fill Mary Anderson's place at short notice, appearing with the local stock company. The play was to be "East Lynne." By singular chance, no prompt book could be found, nor could they secure a copy of the novel. Miss Eyttinge protested that it would be impossible for her to play, as she had never so much as seen the piece. That fact they refused to believe. Moreover, to add to her difficulty, though all the company claimed to know the old drama backward, no one seemed to have an idea of the lines she, as Lady Isabel, would have to speak.

"Oh, that'll be all right," said John McCullough, the manager, to whom she appealed. "Just you sit and look sorry, and it will go."

So Miss Eyttinge, rather than cause the loss of closing the theater, went on totally unprepared to act in an absolutely unfamiliar play.

Tom Keene, the Archibald Carlyle, instructed her in the proper emotion from scene to scene. "Now she's a jealous cut, a jealous cut," he would whisper. "Now she's a kitten." "Now she's a kitten," he would whisper. "Now she's a kitten," he would whisper. "Now she's a kitten," he would whisper.

The performance seemed to cause no satisfaction to the audience, and McCullough, as he generously handed over half the receipts to the heroine of the hour, declared, "Well, you may have had to vamp that part, but I've often seen it played with less skill."

The story of an experience demanding similar readiness of wit is told of John Brougham, the early American comedian and playwright. On one occasion, when his own clever burlesque, "Punchonitas," had been billed and the house sold out in advance, the leading actress left without warning to take another position in Baltimore. The audience had assembled before her absence was discovered by the manager and star. As it was that play or nothing, Brougham, who was famed for his witty impromptu speeches, went before the curtain and suggested giving the place without Punchonitas. He recalled the old story of the actor who played Hamlet so excellently that on the following night the tragedy was given with that character omitted by request.

"Now, if Hamlet can be acted without the hero," he remarked, "why not Punchonitas without the heroine? Of course you are all aware of the fact that Punchonitas is a much greater play than Hamlet. Even if you do not know that, I do, and I ought to, for I wrote it myself. Are you willing to try it?"

"Go ahead!" came the cries from the audience, who settled themselves back to see the result.

The burlesque proceeded as usual until the entrance music was played for Punchonitas, then, turning toward the audience, Brougham, as Punchonitas, sadly began, "Ladies and gentlemen, that sweet strain is supposed to bring my daughter Punchonitas on the stage. You are already aware that she is in the city of Baltimore, and the stern law of the land will not permit a Christian, much less a savage, to be in two places at once. This does the law protect that most useful instrument, the alibi. However, if I only were here she would hasten to say." Whereupon the comedian gave her lines in exact imitation of the missing actress, keeping up the dialogue in two persons all through the play. The delighted people who were fortunate enough to be present declared that Brougham was avenged.

G. P. Huntley tells of an incident that took place at an east side theater in London. The "gods" were boozing the piece and throwing chunks of bread at the performers.

At last the star came forward and said: "Now, look here! We're trying our best to amuse you. Throw bread, if you like; but, he added as he stopped and picked up a chunk, "thank heaven I'm not too good to eat it."

The gods were vanquished.—Anna Bird Stewart in New York Tribune.

Labor conquers all things. It is the curse that is the curse of man—so labor. Nothing is impossible to industry.—Motto of Verlander.

MIXED METAPHOR.

A Choice Bunch of "Bulls" From the House of Commons.

There is no place like the house of commons for a "nice derangement of metaphors." It will be a long time before we have a "mixture" equal to the outburst of an offensive orator who said, "The British lion, whether it is roaming the deserts of India or climbing the forests of Canada, will not draw in its horns or retire into its shell."

It recalls the famous "bull" made by Sir William Hart-Dyke, the Unionist ex-minister, who caused uproarious laughter in the house of commons one day by remarking: "The right honorable gentleman has caught big fish in his time. He has gone to the top of the tree to find them."

Alluding to an item of £2,000,000 in the army estimates one year, a certain member described it as "a deer in the ocean," while another, advocating an increase in the European troops employed in India, remarked, "You may depend upon it, sir, the pale face of the British soldier is the backbone of the Indian army."

An Irish member speaking of suicide said, "The only way to stop it is to make it a capital offense, punishable with death." It was the same member who assured the house that "as long as Ireland was silent under her wrongs England was deaf to her cries," while it was during a debate on the scandal of packed juries during the Irish troubles that a member in support of the government exclaimed, "By trial by jury have I lived, and, by the blessing of God, with trial by jury I will die."

There was a wild howl of delight, too, when some prosy member was careless enough to remark, "The time has come and is rapidly arriving," which is equal to the cry of the member who wished a motion was "at the bottom of the bottomless pit."—London Tit-Bits.

WHAT WAR MEANS.

Wanton Destruction May Mark the Progress of an Army.

"All is fair in love and war," runs the old saying, and Mr. E. A. Vizetelly in his volume of reminiscences, "My Days of Adventure," proves the truth of it. Referring to the appearance of the railway station at Nantes during the Franco-German war, he says:

"Never since have I seen anything resembling it. A thousand pines of glass belonging to windows or roofing had been shivered to atoms. Every mirror in either waiting or refreshment rooms had been pounded to pieces, every gilt frame broken into little bits. The clock lay about in small fragments; account books and printed forms had been torn to scraps; partitions, chairs, tables, benches, boxes, nests of drawers, had been hacked, split, broken, reduced to mere strips of wood; the large stoves were overturned and broken, and the marble refreshment counter, some thirty feet long and previously one of the features of the station, now stood the floor in particles, suggesting gravel. It was indeed an amazing sight, the more amazing as no such work of destruction could have been accomplished without extreme labor."

"When we returned to the lun for dinner I asked some questions. 'Who did it?' 'The first German troops that came here,' was the answer. 'Why did they do it? Was it because your men had cut the telegraph wires and destroyed some of the permanent way?' 'Oh, no! They expected to find something to drink in the refreshment room, and when they discovered that everything had been taken away they set about breaking the fixtures.'"

Steam Power.

The name of the first man to discover the power of steam will never be known. As early as 180 B. C., at Alexandria, Egypt, we hear of "Hero's engine," a sort of steam using engine. From the time of Hero to the seventeenth century the subject is unheard of. About 1691, Giovanni Battista della Porta wrote a treatise on the steam engine. The great name in the history of steam and its application is James Watt, 1736.

A Wonderful Gorge.

Yosemite valley, in the southern part of the Yosemite National park, is a great gorge about seven miles long and three-fourths of a mile wide, with a level park like meadow in its center. The great cliffs which form the wall of the valley rise almost vertically to a height of about 3,000 feet, and in many places are beautiful waterfalls which have a vertical drop of from 500 to 900 feet.

Our Daughters.

"I say, dad, I've just accepted Charlie Brown. He's in the drawing room, and if you've a minute to spare you might pop in and see him and talk it over, but please be quick; we've got to rush out and see about the banas."—London Opinion.

Blow Little Softened.

"We won't discharge you, Mr. Perkins," said the manager. "We shall allow you to tender your resignation."

"Tendering it won't make it one bit less tough," gloomily returned the man who was laid off.—Boston Transcript.

No Joking Matter.

"How much does Lupeccu owe you?"

"A cool thousand."

"Ah! Cool, but not collected, eh?"—Boston Transcript.

Doing nothing is a lesson in doing it.—German Proverb.

A PEEP AT MEXICO

The Country's Area Now and What It Was Originally.

HAS LOST A VAST TERRITORY.

Nearly a Million Square Miles of Its Land Have Been Added to the United States—Still a Big Country, Though, and Has an Enormous Coast Line.

It is interesting to note that the area of Mexico is practically as great as that of the United States between the Mississippi river and the Atlantic coast, the great lakes and the Gulf of Mexico, varying in altitude from sea level to 18,000 feet. Its climate is affected by these elevations and by a range of eighteen degrees of latitude. Twelve hundred miles is the distance traversed in passing south from Juarez, on the northern boundary, to the capital, and 900 miles more to the southeastern boundary. The Gulf of Mexico and Caribbean sea coast line extends for 1,700 miles, while the Pacific ocean and Gulf of California touch 4,000 miles of Mexican coast.

Prior to 1836 Mexico, as a Spanish colony, and the United States covered approximately equal areas, but the Texas secession and the result of the Mexican war added nearly a million square miles to our territory, and the extent of Mexico now is less than one-fourth that of continental United States. Mexico has still territorial expanse equal to the aggregate of Austria-Hungary, Germany, France, Great Britain and Ireland. The total area of the republic, 767,000 square miles, is less than that of Texas, California, Montana, New Mexico and Arizona combined.

The average density of population of Mexico approximates twenty per square mile, the most thickly populated parts, outside of the federal district, being the states of Tlaxcala and Mexico, the former being less than Delaware in size and of about the same density of population and the latter being nearly as large as New Hampshire, but with more than twice the number of inhabitants. The federal district, molded after the District of Columbia, but of eight times greater area, is surrounded by the state of Mexico, the large population of the capital, 470,000, materially aiding in bringing the average to more than 1,200 per square mile.

During nearly 300 years subsequent to the conquest by Cortes, Spain dominated Mexico. A century ago a bold effort for freedom was started, which eventually resulted in the republic of Mexico of today. More than half of the first century of Mexican independence was abortive, one eoterle after another coming into temporary power and a number of those acclaimed rulers after brief regimes meeting ignominious death at the hands of the people they sought to govern.

The form of government adopted by Mexico follows in general that of the United States, having executive, judicial and legislative divisions. Each of the twenty-seven states is represented in two houses of congress, composed of senators and deputies. Congress holds two sessions each year for limited periods. Each state has its governor and legislature and is subdivided into districts or counties, over each of which a jefe politico is placed, the districts having subsidiary municipalities with magistrates, presiding officials and councils. The so called autocratic feature of the government may be largely due to the fact that governors hold office with approval of the president, that jefe politicos have similar relations with the governors and that the officers of the municipalities are generally controlled by the jefe politicos.

The church and state are independent, and congress cannot pass laws prohibiting or establishing any religion. Of the 16,000,000 inhabitants two-fifths claim direct descent from ancient tribes or families which are accepted as the basis of Mexican history, two-fifths are of mixed native and foreign blood, the remainder being classed under the common appellation of "foreign."

The City of Mexico, 264 miles by rail west of Vera Cruz and 7,100 feet altitude, is reached by two rail routes climbing from the hot lands through difficult mountain passes, one of which closely follows the trail taken by Cortes in 1519, by General Winfield Scott with American troops in 1847 and over which fifteen years later the invading French troops passed. It is the most populous city. One-half of the railroad mileage of the country is between sea level and 5,000 feet and about an equal amount between 5,000 and 10,000 feet.—From National Geographic Society in Washington.

Ancient Gold.

In olden times gold was obtained abundantly from the rivers of Asia. The sands of Pactolus, the golden fleece secured by the argonauts, the yellow metal of Ophir, the fabled origin of gold. Alexander the Great brought nearly \$500,000,000 of gold from Persia. Gold also came from Arabia and from the middle of Africa by way of the Nile.

Ways of a Woman.

"Let us go into the garden," he said as the twilight hour approached.

"I'm afraid you'll want to sit in the hammock with me and hold my hand."

"I swear I won't."

"Then what's the use?"—Detroit Free Press.

Habit is the deepest law of human nature.—Carlyle.

PURITY OF THE AIR.

An English Scientist Attacks Our Theories of Ventilation.

Crowther, the English scientist, attacks one of the most cherished of our hygienic notions with a logic that compels respectful attention. His contention is that efficient ventilation does not depend upon the chemical purity of the air. The attempt should be to secure motion, coolness and dryness rather than to displace one body of air by another.

He denies that there is a toxic organic substance in the atmosphere as the result of human exhalations and challenges those who disagree with him to their proofs, as the existence of such poisons has never been scientifically demonstrated.

The lungs, according to him, are never filled with air some of which has not been exhaled. Inhalation follows so closely upon exhalation in normal breathing that a portion of the air that has just left the lungs is invariably drawn back into them.

Extensive experiments show that the amount of air thus returned is from 1 to 2 per cent in persons remaining quietly indoors. It is from 4 to 10 per cent in those asleep in bed. There are certain sections of the respiratory apparatus, moreover, the nose and the larger bronchi, in which exhaled air always lingers. It thus appears that the air in the lungs is always heavily contaminated with their own excreting gases, even in outdoor life, and the dead spaces make it certain that this contamination will not decrease.

It is not worth while, so the doctor argues, to pay much attention to the small amount of carbon dioxide in the atmosphere, therefore, and if the air is kept in motion and not permitted to become too moist or warm the necessary ends of ventilation will be subserved.—Chesham Commercial Tribune.

ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE.

Changes That Come When the Barometer Falls an Inch.

Few persons have any idea what tremendous changes in the atmosphere are indicated by such a rise or fall of an inch in the barometer.

A cubic inch of mercury weighs a half pound. When the mercury falls an inch a weight of one ton is removed from every 4,000 square inches of surface. This is a ton for every area five and one-quarter feet square if your house, for instance, is 25 by 40 feet, with an area of 1,000 square feet, a load of about thirty-six tons is lifted from the roof every time the barometer shows an inch fall—that is, a thirty-six ton load would be lifted if the house were air tight. But as air presses in every direction there is as much of a push upward against the roof from below as there is of a push downward from above. So the roof actually feels no effect from the removal of this heavy load.

In the same way a man of average size would be relieved of a weight of about a ton and a half if there were no air chambers in the human body.

It has been figured that a fall of an inch in the barometer over a territory 400 miles square removes a weight from the surface of the earth of 160,000,000,000 tons. If this were loaded on freight cars, twenty tons to the car and thirty cars to the train, more than 260,000,000 trains would be required to move it. If each train were 500 feet long they would stretch out in a line more than 25,000,000 miles long.

The only noise that accompanies this great transportation feat is made by the wind, which does considerable roaring in the course of such violent atmospheric changes.—Kansas City Star

The Worst Quarter of London.

What is the most disreputable bit of London? A writer in the London Sketch asked this question of a policeman the other day. He said, "The quarter round about the Harrow road."

It appears that there are byways in that region in which no policeman dare venture unless accompanied by a brother officer. Hermonday, too, is pretty bad. But Whapping, once the haunt of hoodlums, has become comparatively respectable of late.

Pigeons' Eggs.

The two eggs laid by a pigeon almost invariably produce male and female. Some curious experiments as to which of the eggs produces the male and which the female have resulted in showing that the first egg laid is the female and the second the male.

Knew Him.

"Tommy, run up and tell your sister I am here, will you?"

"Aw, what's the use? She knows it, 'cause when she saw you couldn't I heard her say to mother, 'Dear me, there comes that empty-headed idiot again.'"—London Telegraph.

Out For Tea.

Maid—I'm sorry, but Mrs. Jiggs is out for tea. Plebeian Friend—The idea! With all her money I should think she'd have everything sent.—Buffalo Express.

Odd and Even.

His Wife—I don't want you to be coming home at such odd hour. Husband—All right, dear, I'll try to make it 4 instead of 3.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Contrariwise.

Mrs. Hall—Tell the gentleman I'm not receiving today. Nora, New Maid—But he ain't deliverin', mum; he's collectin'!—Puck.

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IS DEPRESSION REAL OR STATE OF MIND?

Are Idle Men Mistaken About Loss of Job?

The distinguished college president now at the head of the national government a week or ten days ago told a party of western business men who came to Washington to plead for a cessation of hostile legislation that the present depression in business is "merely psychological." He meant to say that hard times are not real, but imaginary—a condition of the mind.

This is the argument of the theorist who believes that by tearing down the tariff wall that separates the product of the American workman from the product of cheap European labor and keeps American mills and factories busy the present high cost of living can be solved.

The passage of the Underwood near free trade bill by a Democratic congress has not reduced the cost of living, but it has made hundreds of American mills idle and thrown thousands of workmen out of employment.

The baneful effects of this Democratic law are being felt all through the Lehigh valley, especially in the steel and textile industries, and it will be difficult indeed for the Democratic orators who will invade this section during the campaign next fall to convince the idle employees that the lack of work, and consequently the lack of money in their pockets, is a mere "condition of the mind."

A large local industry that employs only men workers has, it is currently reported, laid off for an indefinite period an aggregate of 500 men. Nothing like this ever happened in the thirty years' history of this establishment.

Other places are similarly affected, and no hopes are entertained for an early improvement in the situation, notwithstanding the rosy promises of the Democrats.

Hundreds of men who were regularly employed at good wages under the Republican administration are in want. But, say the Democrats, the depression is "merely psychological"—imaginary, if you please.

The election next fall will determine whether the American working people know whether enforced idleness through Democratic blundering is real or only a state of mind.—Washington Post.

That Flag Contract.

Whatever may be the difference in price, whatever influence the famous tariff bill may have on the matter, the American flag used by the American army and navy and on American public buildings should be American made.

In saying this we hold no brief for any particular American flagging manufacturer, for it isn't beyond the bounds of possibility for a flag to be made of some other material.

It would be pretty tough to think of foreign made ensigns floating over our ships and American children, grown folks, labor and capital, be invited to look up and honor the ensign as it floats above them and get to know that its very stars and stripes were the product of foreign labor and that foreign capital reaped the profit for its manufacture.

If Secretary of the Navy Daniels sends the naval flag contract abroad he will hear, as he undoubtedly is hearing at present, from hundreds of thousands of Americans in strong protest.

Better a flag of stitched together American made cotton of the crudest kind than a flag made abroad and imported and then held up as the highest example of protection and guardianship over American manufactures, American labor and American homes.—Taunton (Mass.) Gazette.

Bright For the Middlemen.

The farm products of America are now in competition in our home markets with cheap labor of Europe and other cheap labor countries, and the middlemen favor the foreign products, because they can make greater profits in continuing their generally deceitful game in working both the home and foreign producers, for they have, under free trade, a larger field to work the up and down game to the detriment of the farmers and consumers. The Wilson administration has handed them a great opportunity for price manipulation and an opportunity for profits that is bright for the middlemen under free trade.—Cedar Rapids (Ia.) Optician.

Even for the keenest observers tariff issues have been blurred by the tardiness of the seasons. With this disturbing factor at work it is impossible as yet to estimate exactly the effect of the tariff. But one fact is evident and emphatic. While American mills and American wage earners are crowded out of the best trade the consumer of cheap goods is no better off than he was before.—New York Press.

It has been reported that a cargo of 22,000 cases of Mr. Wilson's free tariff eggs have arrived from Hongkong, China. This makes the wife of the Democratic farmer stop and wonder how long John is going to continue to vote this upon her.—Carrollton (Mo.) Republican Record.

The British Museum.

In the early days of the British museum, a century or more ago, the place was open for only six hours daily on five days a week during the summer and four hours daily during the rest of the year. Nobody could remain in the building for more than two consecutive hours, and the number admissible at one time was strictly limited to fifteen. Each batch of visitors was shepherded by an attendant.

Conscientious Government.

The Employer—By the way, the children usually eat with us.
The New Government (firmly)—I must object to that.
"Why?"
"They're sure to pick up such faulty notions of grammar."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Second Edition.

Farmer—Yes, sir, that hired man of mine is one of the greatest inventors of the century. City Boarder—You don't say? What did he invent? Farmer—Patented motion.—Judge.

Their Purpose.

He—What candle light power has your electrical fixings? She—Oh, those aren't real candles on that chandelier. They're merely make believe.—Baltimore American.

Including Himself.

Arthur Asken—How did you like Europe? Bertha Blumhine—Not very well. Why, actually every place we visited was overrun with foreigners.—Chicago News.

Impudent Thieves.

The lepers of Mexico is reported to be one of the smartest and most impudent thieves in the world. Brantz Meyer tells of an English traveler, who, within an hour or two, in the principal streets of Mexico, had first his hat hooked from his head by a line from an upper window, and was then accosted by three lepers who divested him of his coat. The three bade him wait, and within a few minutes one returned and handed him a pawn ticket.

"We wanted \$30, not the coat," he explained. "Here is the ticket with which you can redeem it for that sum."—London Mail.

Surprises For Both.

John Burns once paid a visit to a London lunatic asylum. He was taken all over the establishment, and finally arrived at the gardens, where a number of patients were working. Mr. Burns espied among them a man with whom he had some slight acquaintance and was about to speak to him when the lunatic suddenly exclaimed: "Well, I never! You, too! The very last person I thought to see here."—London Citizen.

Use For His Photograph.

Miss Wyse—And I may really keep this photograph of you, Mr. Stinkins? Stinkins (flattered)—Delighted. I'm sure! Miss Wyse (later to her maid)—Marie, take this photograph and whenever the original of it calls tell him I'm not in.—Boston Transcript.

Facing the Problem.

Father—What! You want to marry my daughter? Why, sir, you can't support her. I can hardly do it myself. Sutor (blankly)—Can't we clip in to it together?—London Opinion.

Suitable Match.

"That girl has shocking ways."
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That is the same free trade which the president said was to please other countries so much that the people in them would buy more American products and thus make this the big selling country of the world. The president has failed as a prophet in less than six months and is still going down. None of the hustlers for foreign markets bring back reports that they have found that the president guessed right. When the goods are made and sold here to be distributed all over the old world and the far east and other sections there is a balance continually due us in cash, and the gold comes over here to pay that balance. When we buy abroad we owe the producers over there money, and the gold is taken across the ocean to them to balance up that bad end of the business. We as a great democratic loving nation are sending our gold over to the Europeans and paying them for food materials. They are getting rich, and we are getting poor. Shall the people charge that up against the Democratic administration, just as the people of Mexico charge their distress to the government of Huerta? Hardly, because we all know the Democrats will not pay, and, besides, the majority is said to believe that the Democrats are our great friends and not like the Huertistas at all.—Worcester (Mass.) Telegram.

Predicts a Republican House.

"Unless I am badly off in my guess the next house of representatives will be Republican," remarked John M. Glenn of Chicago at the Shoreham. "That's the way the political situation appears to a man who makes it his business to observe things. In Illinois the people are disappointed and, I may say, disgusted with the results of the Democratic control of government. To say that the Democratic low tariff law has been well received is to misrepresent the situation. The people are not pleased with the tariff law. Exports have fallen off, while imports have increased. Farmers are realizing that they made a mistake when they believed the glowing tale told them about how the new tariff would benefit them by giving them cheaper agricultural implements and at the same time enable them to sell their products at as great profit as ever.

"It is a foregone conclusion that Uncle Joe Cannon will be returned to the house. Mr. McKinley, who was the manager of the national campaign in 1912, will be elected, and so will Mr. Rodenberg, down in the East St. Louis district, which is one of the most thickly populated manufacturing districts in the state. From a Republican standpoint, everything is lovely in the outlook. I don't think much of the chances of the Progressives. No effort, however strong, can place the Progressives in a position where they can win."—Washington Post.

In the Heart of the Corn Belt.

The Rockford Register-Gazette pertinently remarks that Argentine corn is sold in Chicago in the very heart of the corn belt, and that it costs less to deliver Argentine corn in New York city from the port of shipment than to deliver Iowa corn at our seaboard. Well, that's carrying out President Wilson's idea of increasing the foreign trade of the United States without regard to the effect upon the interests of the farmers. If the farmers of La Salle county like it they should vote either the Democratic or Progressive ticket next fall. The Republican party is the only one which steadfastly holds the protection of home farm products from competition with foreign farm products.—Ottawa (Ill.) Republican Times.

Idle Thoughts.

Potatoes come from Germany and beef from Argentina. Yet still the U. S. workman is growing very lean. Why cling to him of bargain pants, marked at "One ninety-two." When on his uppers he goes round without a thing to do?—J. W.

Farmers Are Not Gudgeons.

With a view, it would seem, to reconciling American farmers to their hard condition in being exposed to free trade competition, our department of agriculture has sent a special commission to investigate the cost of producing wheat in Saskatchewan, and the commission has reported that it costs almost as much as the market price for the wheat—namely, an average of 62 cents a bushel to raise and market the grain, which brings to the farmer only 100 cents on an average. The Northwestern Agriculturist, a recognized high authority on wheat production and marketing in Minnesota, the Dakotas and the adjacent Canadian territory, makes the following sensible comment:

"The entire attitude of the department of agriculture betrays ignorance or prejudice or a most reprehensible desire to flatter Americans by 'knocking' their competitors in Canada in lieu of, according to American farmers, a full measure of tariff protection, which will conserve the home market to our own wheat. That would encourage the development of our wheatfields far more assuredly than any statement so filled with inferential slander of our competitors. . . . Considering wheat by itself, the main requisite for profit is in maintaining for American farmers the exclusive benefit of their own superior market at home through adequate tariff protection.

"Under the present law it rests with Canada as to whether the ten cent American duty on wheat now in the Underwood law be continued or not. Our farmers are at the mercy of Canada. If Canada decides to admit our wheat free into Canada—theoretically, we mean—there would never be any reason for Canadians to use our wheat while two-thirds of Canada's crop is always an exportable surplus. In case Canada decides to remove her duty on our wheat, then that act will abolish our duty against Canada's wheat and open our markets to free competition. That will at once abolish the present market advantage held by American farmers.

"In short, the motive of the department's slander against Saskatchewan wheat raising is to befoul the American farmers into thinking that they have no real competitors in Canada and need not fear free wheat competition. American farmers are not such gudgeons; they know better."

Beef From Argentina.

The tariff wall being down, 9,000,000 pounds of Argentine beef are being imported into the United States every month. Though the importations have no influence in lowering the price of beef to the consumer, they have possibly had influence in keeping the prices of native beef from soaring nearer to the clouds than they have been flying.

So much may rightfully be claimed for the new tariff. But what may be said toward the discouragement given to the movement toward raising beef cattle in America in adequate numbers? What may be said for the indirect results of an enfeebled market for corn, our greatest crop, because of the fewer native cattle to feed? What may be said for the development of the sense of dependence on other countries for our food supply?

After years in which the advantage of the tariff lay mostly with the manufacturing interests the agricultural interests began to receive direct benefits from it. Then the tariff was cut and slashed in such a way that the injury done was suffered mostly by the farming class. It is possible that the farming people can stand it—at least they always stand more or less meekly the blows that foolish statecraft deals them. But it is only the blind and stupid who refuse to see that a wound given the basic industry of agriculture must inevitably bring pain and agony to every line of endeavor in the country.—Toledo Blade.

How Much Argentine Corn?

Democratic papers are attempting to convince intelligent Indiana farmers that Argentine corn let into the country by free trade tariff will have no ruinous effect on prices paid the American farmer. As a matter of fact the present crop of Argentina is estimated at 400,000,000 bushels, and that country consumes only 60,000,000 bushels for its own use. A mere "drop in the bucket" attitude toward these 400,000,000 bushels of corn which have no tariff to exclude them from the American markets is a brave bluff that the American farmer will call before long. A recent Chicago grain market report stated that "corn made a little better showing last week, helped by a better call from the east and by stormy weather in Argentina."

Yet, in the face of the fact that Chicago markets vary with Argentine weather reports, some Democrats will protest that the corn tariff is O. K.—Winamac (Ind.) Republican.

The Limit.

Shall the flag be made in England? Kinder rises one up a bit: Kinder starts the blood a-bittin' Just to merely think of it. Shall the flag we call Old Glory In a foreign land be made? This is certainly the limit Of the foul work of free trade.

Shall the flag be made in England? Kinder rises one up a bit: Kinder starts the blood a-bittin' Just to merely think of it. Work and wages they have taken, and in idleness men lag: Taken industry to England—Now they want to take the flag. Jack Wiley in American Economist.

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FRIDAY, JULY 31.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce Congressman Ben Johnson a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative from the 4th Congressional district. General primary election August 1, 1914.

We are authorized to announce Hon. John W. Boyd, of Hardin county, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative in Congress, from the 4th district. General Primary election August 1, 1914.

We are authorized to announce W. SHERMAN BALL, of Breckenridge county, a candidate for the Republican nomination for Representative in Congress from the Fourth district. General Primary election August 1, 1914.

REPUBLICANS—Remember the primary election to-morrow.

It will be a year before we will have to worry over our income tax again.

Texas turned down an amendment for state wide prohibition by a majority of 20,000.

By covering up their tracks some men get credit for walking in the straight and narrow path.

John Lind would be a good man to succeed George F. Williams. By his silence he might soon restore the balance on loquacity.

Do not stay away from the primary election and then cuss the party if your choice is not nominated. Help to make the nomination.

Huerta's envoys who went to Niagara to bring about peace are now afraid to go home with it. Instead they are going to England where it is quiet.

Republican farmers and laboring men should at least remember their enemy, who is asking for the long term nomination for Senator in the primary to-morrow.

According to Gov. McCreary's campaign expense account his appointees to office have given him something over \$6,000. Is this a scandal? If so why is it passed up by the Kentucky press with scarcely a comment?

President Wilson met with his first defeat in Congress last week when he was compelled to withdraw the name of Thomas D. Jones from the Senate, after having made a vigorous fight for his confirmation as member of the Reserve Bank Board.

The Louisville Herald is gloating over the hot words hurled at each other by Democratic and Republican candidates and some of their supporters in the race for United States Senator. Has the Herald forgotten the time its candidate, Mr. Burton Vance, in a State Central Committee meeting called a fellow member, Mr. Matt Holt, to be specific, a d—ling son of a b—? Has it also forgotten the other time at a committee meeting its late candidate for Mayor Mr. Axon, knocked another member over a bed bringing the good Progressive blood freely. Better build a stone wall around your glass house.

LEST WE FORGET.

In December 1907, Augustus E. Wilson was sworn in as Governor of Kentucky. During the campaign he had been charged with being an attorney for the Tobacco Trust. This he denied but admitted he had practiced a few cases for the Trust, because of the inability of its regular attorney to act. When he went into office the tobacco growers were in a great struggle with the trust to compel it, through the pooling system to pay a living price for their product, earned by unremitting toil and sacrifice of both muscle and soul.

The outrages at Hopkinsville had been committed and Governor Beckham had ordered out one company of State troops to preserve order. The

new governor assumed the duties with grave responsibilities facing him, but also opportunities for assisting the poor people of his state which had come to no other one of his predecessors. Not long after his accession to power, and in the very midst of strife and turmoil attending the great struggle, Governor Wilson invited representatives of the tobacco growers, officers of the A. S. of E., and the Burley Society to meet him in Frankfort on a certain day with the avowed purpose of settling the whole trouble.

His action met with universal approval throughout the State and he was hailed as a Moses who would lead his people out of distress and discord. The meeting was called to order in the old Court of Appeals room which was crowded with Trust lawyers, tobacco growers and members of farmers' organizations from all parts of the State. They were as law-abiding set of people as could have been gathered together in any state in the Union, and they came upon the Governor's invitation. When he called the meeting to order he at once launched into a speech which might have been delivered with propriety to the convicts in the State penitentiary. It was directed to the farmers present, whom he all but accused of being night riders, telling them that lawlessness must be stopped, or he would call to his assistance every able bodied man in the State, etc. It was humiliating and disgusting to every farmer present. Against the Trust he said never a word.

It was upon this occasion that Judge O'Rear when called upon made the celebrated speech in which he denounced the Trust and said he did not believe it was possible to "drive an idea through an Anglo-Saxon's head with a bayonet."

The Governor, upon his own request had made an appointment with Judge O'Rear for the evening before the meeting, but instead of keeping that appointment he took the C. & O. train to Louisville where it was presumed he conferred with the Trust lawyers from New York and other places, and changed his entire plans. Of course nothing came from the meeting and the farmers had wasted so much time in responding to the call of the Governor, who during the succeeding months of excitement and disgraceful outburst never lost an opportunity in public or private to denounce night riders, without any effort to distinguish between the great body of law-abiding members of farmers' organizations, and the lawless element. He showed in all his actions that his sympathy was against the tobacco growers in their one-sided struggle with greed and monopoly. Not only this but during his administration whenever he had to make an appointment of a Mine Inspector or an Assistant he ignored the recommendations of the Miners' Union and appointed men outside of the organization, dictated by the operators.

This is the man who is asking the farmers and laboring men to vote for him tomorrow in the Republican primary for the nomination for U. S. Senator. This paper feels it to be its duty to call to mind his conduct when he was placed in power and in position, and to say to the tobacco growers and laborers who cast their votes for Augustus E. Wilson, they are kissing the hand that smote them, and forwarding the ambitions of a man who never drew a breath in all his life in sympathy with them.

Question Camden's Democracy.

Gen. Bennett H. Young, speaking at Madisonville in behalf of his candidacy for the short term, said: "It has been persistently and continuously charged, and never denied, that Hon. Johnson N. Camden, now candidate for the United States Senate for the short term, refused to vote for William Jennings Bryan in 1896, 1900 and 1908, when Mr. Bryan was the Democratic standard bearer for the Presidency. Twenty days ago I publicly stated this and advised Mr. Camden that if he would deny the charge I would take fullest opportunity in every speech I made to right him in this regard. Nothing has come from him on the subject.

"If Mr. Camden could not afford to vote for Mr. Bryan when three times nominated by his party for the Presidency, can the Democrats of Kentucky afford now to vote for Mr. Camden for the United States Senate?

"It may be true that Mr. Camden in 1911 and 1912 paid to the campaign funds the fabulous sum of \$45,000 but can he, when refusing to support the party leaders, win the votes of Democrats by contributions to campaign expenses, even though these be large enough to stagger belief?

"As to what party Mr. Camden belonged before 1911 there is no record. He made no speeches, he helped in no canvasses. As far as the public knows he did nothing in advocacy of Democratic principles until 1911. Will two barbecues, where crowds can be fed at twenty-five cents a piece, and big campaign money make a Democratic suitable for United States Senator?"

IT OPENS THE MARKET TO FOREIGNERS

Free-Trade is Now Taking a Million Dollars a Month Away From American Farmers.

In the ten months ended April, 1914, the value of foreign foodstuffs imported into the United States increased \$10,000,000, or \$1,000,000 a month. This money, which should have gone to the American farmer, went to foreign farmers.

In the same period the exports of American foodstuffs decreased \$64,416,000, or \$6,441,600 a month.

The adverse balance against the American farmer, so far as dealings with the outside world is concerned, is \$75,000,000 in ten months.

During the ten months ended April, 1914, there were imported 20,685,998 bushels of oats, as against 714,767 bushels imported during the same period ended April, 1913. Comparing the same periods, there were imported 1,854,051 bushels of wheat, against 7,693,229; other breadstuffs, \$2,602,952 against \$1,362,630; fruits, \$26,155,168 against \$21,635,382; nuts, \$722,217, against \$636,290; butter, \$1,633,515, against \$253,513; cheese, \$9,302,438, against \$7,683,399; olive oil, \$6,441,217, against \$5,815,810; prepared vegetables, \$9,015,545, against \$2,772,000; fresh vegetables, \$1,468,396, against \$1,308,821. The importation of eggs during the ten months ended April, 1914 amounted to 5,943,765 dozens, valued at \$1,000,000.

These are staples produced by American farms, orchards and gardens. The new Tariff reduces the duty upon these articles and opens the market to foreign farmers. The foreigner has seized this opportunity and is now making \$1,000,000 a month which formerly went to the American farmer.

The consumer gets no benefit from this Tariff reduction. The price has not gone down on a single article mentioned. The Tariff formerly kept the foreigner out and gave him business to the American farmer. The new Tariff throws the business to the foreign farmer, who, with the middleman pockets the benefit, and the consumer pays as much as he did before. The only loser is the American farmer.

This loss of \$1,000,000 a month covers only ten months of the new Tariff. It is natural that the loss should be greater as soon as foreign farmers awaken to the splendid opportunity offered by the American market. The more they take advantage of this opportunity the more the American farmer will lose.

The only way to prevent this loss to the American farmer is to put the bars up again, and shut out the foreigner. The experiment has been in effect long enough to show that it does not decrease the cost of living.

Stops Neuralgia--Kills Pain.

Sloan's Liniment gives instant relief from Neuralgia or Sclatica. It goes straight to the painful part--Soothes the Nerves and Stops the Pain. It is also good for Rheumatism, Sore Throat, Chest Pains and Sprains. You don't need to rub--It penetrates. Mr. J. R. Swinger, Louisville, Ky. writes: "I suffered with quite a severe Neuralgic Headache for four months without relief. I used Sloan's Liniment for two or three nights and I haven't suffered with my head since." Get a bottle to-day. Keep in the house all the time for pains and all hurts. 25c, 50c and \$1 at your Druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for all Sores.

Moonlight Schools in Hardin.

Hardin county is in the midst of a great educational revival. A week's campaign, with speaking in every school house, has been waged, and Moonlight Schools are to be opened soon, fifty teachers having volunteered to teach them following an eloquent address and appeal by Mr. Harry A. Sommers. The Hardin Co. Board of Education has the distinction of being the first in the State to offer a prize to the teacher who teaches the largest number of illiterates. The Woman's Club of Elizabethtown offers the same amount for the same purpose, and is the first Woman's Club in the State to offer such a prize. Supt. Payne, of Hardin county, the Hardin County Board of Education, Hardin County Public School Teachers, the Woman's Club of Elizabethtown, and Col. Harry A. Sommers are all banded together to wipe illiteracy out of Hardin. It has not a chance to exist in that county.

PRIZE OFFER TO TEACHERS.

To the Kentucky teacher who writes the best article or story on "My Moonlight School," the Kentucky Society of Colonial Dames will give the sum of \$15.00.

The conditions are as follows: The story must be absolutely true

in every detail. It must be written by the teacher who taught such school. It must give date of opening, length of term, enrollment, age of youngest and oldest pupil and results.

It must be sent to the Kentucky Literacy Commission, Frankfort, on or before November 1st, 1914.

The judges will be, Dr. J. G. Cagle, President H. H. Cherry, Hon. Barksdale Hamby, Supt. Elia Lewis, Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart.

LINCOLN COUNTY FIGHTING ILLITERACY.

Lincoln county, which wrote a bad and page in Kentucky's history through its representative in the last General Assembly, Hon. Shelton M. Sanfey, who championed the bill creating the Kentucky Literacy Commission, has written another. Smart, intelligent Garland Singleton and forty-six of his teachers have volunteered to teach moonlight schools to wipe out illiteracy.

The Stanford Interior Journal and the people of Lincoln County are backing these volunteers enthusiastically.

EVERY SCHOOL IN MONTGOMERY A MOONLIGHT SCHOOL.

Montgomery is the first county to have every teacher, both white and colored to pledge themselves to conduct Moonlight Schools. Also, Supt. Georgia Sudd, former Supt. M. G. Goodwin and Supervisor O'Rear have enlisted. The Moonlight Schools of Montgomery county will begin in September, and the teachers will canvass their districts on Labor day to secure large attendance.

Severe Attack of Colic Cured.

E. E. Cross, who travels in Virginia and other Southern States, was taken suddenly and severely ill with colic. At the first stroke he came to the merchant recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Two doses of it cured him. No one should leave home on a journey without a bottle of this preparation. For sale by all dealers.

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Singing Convention.

The Progressive Singing Convention will meet the 5th Sunday in August with Friendship Church (between Hab it and Laffoon, Ky.) in Davies Co. Everybody invited singers especially, and requested to bring your dinner along.

Drs. Ellis and Foster will address the convention singers. Come along with your solos, anthems and choruses, etc. The people of Friendship are progressive and will do everything to make you enjoy the day. Plenty of ice water, shade, etc.

Yours for better singing,
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Mrs. Sallie P. Clawson, Indiana, Pa. was bothered with indigestion. "My stomach pained me right and day," she writes, "I would feel bloated and have the headache and belching after eating. I also suffered from constipation. My daughter had used Chamberlain's Tablets and they did her so much good that she gave me a few doses of them and insisted upon my trying them. They helped me as nothing else has done." For sale by all dealers.

Troublesome Times.

The newspapers are telling the story of Miss Elizabeth Day (ary, who celebrated her 99th birthday at Orange, N. J., July 10, and on that occasion handed out invitations to her next birthday anniversary, her 100, July 10, 1915. It is narrated that Miss Cary manages her own household and takes a keen interest in politics. She reads the papers without glasses and declares that "every time there is Tariff tinkering there are troublesome times." The aged spinster is perfectly right. She has a far better memory than many of her juniors of both sexes. But for the periodic forgetfulness of the American people regarding the inevitable consequences of Free-Trade Tariff tinkering we should not be having a recurrence of "troublesome times."

Taxes Due For 1914.

We have received the tax books and are now ready to give you a receipt. Please call at this office at your earliest convenience and settle.

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Some sales are going on, others have come and gone, but this the Big Kum Down Sale that everybody comes to, will be the biggest event of the season. Don't WORRY but WAIT. On Friday morning, July 31st, HURRY for Fairs' and remember that IT PAYS TO TRADE WITH A HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.

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A new concrete pavement is being put down in front of Her & Back grocery and Moore's meat market. This is fulfilling a long felt want, and others might follow the good example to the great improvement of the town.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Felix is entertaining the following school-mate visitors: Misses Elizabeth Lott, of Wooster, Ohio; Carolyn Long, of Chester, Pa.; Nancy Graham Offutt, Louisville, and Eudice Katherine Saoune of Lexington.

Misses James Bennett and Raymond Phillips landed the largest cat-fish last Friday night which has been taken from Rough River in many years. It was caught on a trot line a short distance below the old mill dam and tipped the beam at 62 pounds. It was dressed and sold readily on the local market at 25 cent per pound.

This issue of the Republican comes the card of Dr. Lindsey Morrison, of West Point Hardin County, who is seeking the Republican nomination for Congress in this district. Dr. Morrison is a self made man who deserves the greatest consideration. He is a life long Republican, but is popular with men of all parties in his section of the district. He is always to the front in every effort for the betterment of the conditions of the country and citizenship. If nominated many persons believe he will be elected in November.

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Hartford, Ky., Nov. 1.—I have used "lenses made by R. C. Hardwick's Optician, Owensboro, Ky., to my entire satisfaction. His house and machinery for making lenses are the most complete in the State, and he employs none but experienced workmen."
C. M. BARNETT.

A Plank Attack.

An "insidious lobby" has reached the White House and been very graciously received. Business men representing themselves and many commercial interests have been heard there in protest against pending legislation, the effect of which would, they fear, be injurious to trade and commerce. We had the spread of light in dark places. Such intelligent individuals and bodies were, about this time last year called insidious lobbies by Mr. Wilson himself for only trying to keep in touch with the Congress and opposing them pending legislation believed to be as hurtful to business as any pending now. If it is true that such exertions of legitimate influences constitute insidious lobbies, it is equally true that the insidious lobby of the summer of 1914 is not less insidious than the one of 1913. In fact, it could not be less so if psychological statesmanship has not found a method of subterfuge which can work below the nether mark. Putting such a miracle even beyond the sphere of psychological statesmanship, we must conclude that such statesmanship has learned the truth that there is neither lobby nor insidiousness in the exercise of the right of petition and remonstrance by any class of American citizens.

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BASE BALL DOPE

LOCALS AGAIN VICTORS.

In one of the fastest and most thrilling games ever staged at East End Hartford took the deciding game of a three game series between that team and Hardinsburg. It was a saw-saw affair and for eleven innings the battle raged fiercely. In the second extra inning, however, sagged by Rickard, Plummer and a "nifty" bunt by Chudiff turned the trick.

The visitors got off to a two run lead when with one on in the first Dillon the hard hitting short stop of the Hardinsburg team, sent one of Rickard's benders over the left field fence for a homer. The locals went two better in the third and fourth, but were out distanced in the sixth. Hardinsburg again came to the front in the first half of the ninth and had a two run lead when the Bino Socks came up. The latter were equal to the occasion, however, and produced the needed two to tie. Neither team reached first in the tenth but the Hartford wrecking crew again got busy in the eleventh and slipped the winning tally across again to the delight of the cheering bugs.

Rickard and Brown of the visitors on the mound while Bankership and Dittie did the receiving, both hateries performed in great style and at times their support was sensational.

Innings. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 R
Hartford. 0 0 3 1 0 0 0 2 0 1-7
H'burg. 2 0 0 0 3 0 0 1 0 0-6

EQUALITY WINS.

Hardinsburg again met one of those hard luck defeats Sunday when they lost to Equality at Cartertown by the score of 5 to 4. The game was close all the way thru and was witnessed by a big bunch of spectators, many of them from Hartford. Withrow and Thorpe worked for Equality opposed by Phillips and Thomas for Hardinsburg. The feature of the game was a catch in deep right by "Charlie Ox" Plummer.

NOTES.

The defeated twice on their visit to this county the Hardinsburg fellows should not be in the least discouraged for they put up two of the gamest battles ever seen in these parts and but for hard luck might have cleaned up with both. They are a bully set of good fellows, on and off the field, and local fans and players will always welcome them.

Habit comes Saturday and they say they are coming strong. They always put up a clean scrappy game and no doubt a good crowd will turn out Saturday. The locals will put their very best line up against them.

It is thought that Habit will have a star pitcher with them Saturday, perhaps Benny White, of Owensboro.

Equality comes Wednesday. Manager Caschier is confident of taking this game but it is safe to say that the winner will not have a snap.

Manager "Heg" failed to bluff some guy as to the result of the Hardinsburg-Equality game and consequently he is working this week.

Vig Morton is getting to be one of the best umpires around here. Vig is absolutely square and honest in every decision he makes. Some complicated plays came up Saturday and Sunday but he was equal to the occasion. The Hardinsburg fellows were especially pleased with his work.

Thursday afternoon we were called to the office of Circuit Clerk E. G. Barrass and there in the presence of Messrs. J. C. Her and R. R. Riley Mr. Barrass presented each of us with a shining \$10 gold piece, given by several loyal supporters of the Hartford Base Ball team. We expect nothing for our services to the local team but as this comes in appreciation of our efforts, and not as salary, we accept realizing more fully that those efforts are appreciated beyond the cheering. We thank you and assure you of our honest endeavors for the benefit of the team. However, we are glad that all teams haven't the loyal support given us, for they would be terribly hard to beat.

"EARLY" RICKARD,
"AL" BARNETT.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury
as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price 50c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

ADJOURNING.

July 29.—Rev. B. B. Rayborn filled his regular appointment at Mt Moriah Sunday.
Mr. Otway Taylor attended church at Barnetts creek Sunday.
Prof. Thos. Hamilton, who has been



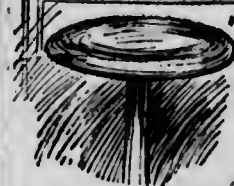
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Hartford, Kentucky.

attending the summer term of the W. K. S. N., returned home Thursday.

Mr. J. T. Ralph and family visited Mrs. Ralph's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Chapman of Barnetts creek, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Leland Stofor and brother, William, of Louisville, are the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Chudiff, this week.

A barn, with valuable contents, belonging to Mr. Leslie Smith was destroyed by fire Sunday Morning about 5 o'clock.

Rev. S. W. Edge made a business trip to Negan Monday.

Has Your Child Worms?

Most Children do. A Coated, Furred Tongue; Strong Breath; Stomach Pains; Circles under Eyes; Pale Barlow Complexion; Nervous, Fretful; Grinding of Teeth; Tossing in Sleep; Peculiar Dreams—any one of these indicate Child has Worms. Get a box of Klekapoo Worm Killer at once. It kills the Worms—the cause of your child's condition. Is laxative and aids Nature to expel the Worms. Supplied in candy form. Easy for children to take. 25c at your Druggist.

'Have Yez Heard About Pat's Pig?'



"The finest I ever! Sure he was raised on the feed they do be selling at Ellis". There's more than one pig, horse and cow which has been made happy and content over provender taken from my bins, granaries and hay lofts. Why shouldn't yours join the fortunate?

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FRIDAY, JULY 31.

M. R. & E. Railroad Time Table at Hartford, Ky.

L. & N. time card effective Monday Aug. 21st.
No. 112 North Bound due 7:19 a. m. daily except Sunday.
No. 114 North Bound due 2:20 p. m. daily except Sunday.
No. 115 South Bound due 8:45 a. m. daily except Sunday.
No. 113 South Bound due 1:16 p. m. daily except Sunday.
H. E. MISCHKE, Agt.

Go to Acton Bros. for barrel Salt.
Big sale bargains July 31st.
CARSON & CO.

Mr. Linn Igleheart returned home from New Orleans Monday.
Reduced prices on everything, July 31st.
CARSON & CO.

SALVET, the great stock remedy. See U. S. Carson, Hartford. 25c.

Mr. Sam Anderson and family returned to Louisville Thursday.
American Wire Fence—best on earth. For sale by U. S. Carson.

Mrs. T. H. Black and daughters are spending a few days in Dawson Springs.

Fight the flies and mosquitoes by getting your Screen Wire Cloth at S. L. King's.

Mrs. Loney Hoover, Central City is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Shifflet, City.

Attorney W. H. Barnes was in Rochester and Morgantown on legal business the first of the week.

The Misses Cooper and Keown who have been the guests of relatives here returned to their homes in Fordsville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Davis, Tip Top Ky. are the guests of friends in town. Mrs. Davis was formerly Miss Bita Thomas.

Linkley Morrison, West Point was here yesterday in the interest of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Congress.

Miss Annie Cooper, who had been the guest of Sheriff S. O. Keown and family, returned to her home at Fordsville Monday.

Hon. Taylor Proctor, Leitchfield, was here Wednesday shaking hands with Republicans and fixing his fences for the Republican nomination for Congress.

Attorney E. M. Woodward went to Louisville yesterday.

Be first—not last—to attend our big sale. CARSON & CO.
U. S. Carson is agent for the famous American Wire Fencing.

Do not fail to read Tichenor's ad. on the eighth page of this paper.

County Attorney C. E. Smith was in Elizabethtown on legal business Tuesday.

Quite a number from here attended the dance at McHenry last Friday night.

Mrs. A. D. Biskill left Wednesday for Louisville where she will visit relatives.

Big reduction on everything during our sale. Begins July 31st.
CARSON & CO.

Our little write up on the weed question last week produced immediate results.

Messrs A. C. Vester, M. Bean Paul Woodward and A. E. Pate were in Owensboro yesterday.

Work on the new Millstead church is delayed by the failure of a shipment of stone to reach the contractor.

Mr. Arthur Petty, of the Herald force, left yesterday with Mrs. Petty for a visit to relatives in Arkansas.

Our Come Down Sale begins Friday July 31st, and closes August 8th. Don't fail to attend.
CARSON & CO.

Mr. L. M. Renter, wife and daughter, Louisville, are visiting Mr. Renter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Renter.

Mrs. S. N. Paris and daughters, Dora and Josephine, of Lejuento, Colo., are the guests of Mrs. J. A. Park and family.

The Beckham Club at Beaver Dam will hold a rally to-night and a number of short speeches will be made by good speakers.

After a few days visit to Sheriff S. O. Keown and family Mrs. Oora Loyd and Miss Malmee Keown returned to their home at Fordsville, last Saturday.

Hon. D. H. Smith, Hodgenville, candidate for the Democratic nomination for the short Senatorial term, was here Tuesday in the interest of his candidacy.

Prof. O. H. Park, Willis Okla. is visiting relatives in the county. He will return to Willis Okla. about Oct. 1st and will have charge of the graded schools there.

The following persons from Hartford attended the Stanley speaking at Owensboro last night: Messrs Row-

**GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY
OR MONEY REFUNDED.**

Tichenor's END-SEASON CASH SALE

Begins Wednesday, August 5, Closes Monday, August 17.

During these dates we propose to give our friends and customers an opportunity to secure from our well outlined stock of General Merchandise, their many wants, at prices that are alarmingly low. Below we go into details as to prices, so that you may know exactly what to expect and what prices are to be had before you leave home. We are determined to make this our most successful Sale and to this end are going to give our entire profit and in many cases more. We are thoroughly convinced that the prices quoted below will bring you to our store during the very first day of Sale, at which time you can, of course, be better suited. In fact, you would do yourself justice to visit us many times before Sale ends.

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| CLOTHING. The backward season and scarcity of money has left our Clothing Department practically unbroken and we give you a great opportunity to get good clothing at a great sacrifice to us and a remarkable saving to you. Don't miss the opportunity. \$21.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$13.75 \$20.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$12.50 \$19.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$11.50 \$18.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$11.00 \$16.50 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$10.25 \$16.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$10.00 \$15.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 9.25 \$14.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 8.25 \$13.50 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 7.75 \$12.50 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 7.50 \$14.00 Young Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 8.25 \$11.00 Young Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 7.25 \$ 9.00 Young Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 5.75 \$ 8.50 Young Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 5.50 \$ 8.00 Young Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 5.00 \$12.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 7.25 \$11.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 7.00 \$10.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 6.75 \$ 9.00 Men's Suits, Sale Price.....\$ 5.75 BOY'S SUITS. \$8.00 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$5.75 \$7.50 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$5.00 \$7.00 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$4.75 \$6.50 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$4.25 \$6.00 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$4.00 \$5.00 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$3.50 \$4.50 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$3.25 \$4.00 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$3.00 \$3.75 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$2.75 \$3.50 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$2.50 \$3.25 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$2.25 \$2.50 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$1.75 \$2.00 Boy's Suit, Sale Price.....\$1.50 MEN'S ODD PANTS. \$7.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$4.75 \$6.00 Pants, Sale Price.....\$4.00 \$5.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$3.75 \$5.00 Pants, Sale Price.....\$3.25 \$4.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$3.25 \$4.00 Pants, Sale Price.....\$3.00 \$3.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.40 \$3.25 Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.25 \$3.00 Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.00 \$2.75 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.90 \$2.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.70 \$2.25 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.50 \$1.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.15 MEN'S CORDUROY PANTS. \$3.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.50 \$3.25 Pants, Sale Price.....\$2.25 \$2.00 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.50 \$1.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.20 \$1.40 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.00 BOYS' KNICKERBOCKER PANTS. \$2.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.75 \$2.25 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.60 \$2.00 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.50 \$1.50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$1.00 \$1.00 Pants, Sale Price.....\$ 75 \$ 75 Pants, Sale Price.....\$ 50 \$ 50 Pants, Sale Price.....\$ 40 \$ 25 Pants, Sale Price.....\$ 20 | | SHIRTS AND SUSPENDERS. 50c Shirts, Sale Price.....40c \$1.00 Shirts, Sale Price.....80c 50c Suspenders, Sale Price.....35c 35c Suspenders, Sale Price.....21c 25c Suspenders, Sale Price.....19c 20c Suspenders, Sale Price.....15c 15c Suspenders, Sale Price.....11c 10c Suspenders, Sale Price.....7c MEN'S HATS AND CAPS. \$1.00 Hats, Sale Price.....75 \$1.50 Hats, Sale Price.....\$1.00 \$2.50 Hats, Sale Price.....\$1.50 \$3.00 Hats, Sale Price.....\$2.00 25 Caps, Sale Price.....19 50 Caps, Sale Price.....35 75 Caps, Sale Price.....50 \$1.00 Caps, Sale Price.....75 TIES. Men's 15c Wash Ties, Sale Price.....9c Men's 25c Wash Ties, Sale Price.....15c Men's 35c Wash Ties, Sale Price.....21c Men's 25c Silk Ties, Sale Price.....19c Men's 35c Silk Ties, Sale Price.....25c Men's 50c Silk Ties, Sale Price.....35c Men's \$1.00 Silk Ties, Sale Price.....60c NOTIONS, &C. \$3.00 Ladies' Hand Bag.....\$2.00 \$1.00 Ladies' Hand Bag.....65c 75c Ladies' Hand Bag.....45c 25c Ladies' Hand Bag.....19c \$1.00 Beads.....75c 50c Beads.....35c 35c Beads.....20c 50c Fans.....30c 25c Fans.....19c 15c Hair Pins.....10c 15c Barrettes.....10c 20c Back Combs.....10c 25c Back Combs.....15c \$1.00 Long Black Silk Gloves.....75c 50c Short Black Silk Gloves.....35c 25c Leather Gloves.....19c 50c Leather Gloves.....39c \$1.00 Leather Gloves.....80c 75c Lace Collars.....48c 25c Lace Collars.....19c 7-Jewel Elgin Watches, Nickel Case.....\$4.00 15-Jewel Elgin Watches, 20-year Gold Case.....\$12.00 15-Jewel Elgin Watches, 20-year Gold Case, Open Face.....\$9.75 7-Jewel Watch, Gold Case.....\$6.00 50c Cuff Buttons.....35c \$1.25 Cuff Buttons.....75c \$1.00 Cuff Buttons.....60c 25c Tie Clasps.....19c 15c Tie Clasps.....10c 25c Tie Pins.....19c 25c Beauty Pins.....19c 25c Brooches.....20c \$1.00 Corsets.....80c 50c Corsets.....40c 25c Palm Olive Soap.....15c SEWING MACHINES. During the sale we will sell the White Rotary Sewing Machine at the remarkably low price of \$24.50. Other good guaranteed machines at \$13.00. Don't fail to buy a sewing machine at the above prices. | | WOOLEN DRESS GOODS, SILKS, WASH DRESS GOODS, LINENS, ETC. \$1.50 Brocade Silk, Blue and Black.....\$1.10 \$1.00 Black Satin.....80c \$1.00 Silk Crepe.....80c \$1.00 Black Silk.....80c 50c Ratine.....35c 30c Ratine.....20c 50c Woolen Dress Goods.....35c \$1.00 Woolen Dress Goods.....75c 30c Poplin, in all colors.....20c 25c Cotton Corduroy.....19c 35c Jap Silk.....20c 25c Suiting.....19c 20c Suiting.....12 1/2c 16 2-3c Suiting.....10c 25c Brown Linen.....18c 20c Brown Linen.....15c 12 1/2c Brown Linen.....9c 50c White Linen.....35c 25c White Linen.....19c 50c White Wash Silk.....40c 10c India Linen.....7 1/2c 15c India Linen.....11c 25c India Linen.....19c 25c Flaxon.....19c 25c Cobweb Voile.....19c 20c Voile.....12 1/2c 30c Silk Gingham.....20c 30c White Crepe.....20c 15c White Pongee.....10c 25c Kimona Goods.....19c 20c Kimona Goods.....15c 15c Creton.....11c 15c Indian Head.....11c \$1.00 Linen Sheeting.....75c 30c Bleach Sheeting.....25c 27 1/2c Unbleached Sheeting.....22 1/2c 20c Bed Tick.....15c \$1.25 Table Linen.....90c 60c Table Linen.....45c 35c Table Linen.....25c 6c Toweling.....4c 8c Toweling.....6c 10c Toweling.....7 1/2c 25c Toweling.....19c 6c Gingham.....4c 8c Gingham.....6c 10c Gingham.....7 1/2c 12 1/2c Gingham.....10c 10c Cheviots.....7 1/2c EMBROIDERY. \$1.00 Embroidered Ratine, 40-inch.....65c \$1.00 Embroidered Crepe, 40-inch.....75c 75c Embroidered Voile.....48c 75c Embroidery, 42-inch.....48c 50c Embroidery, 28-inch.....30c 60c Embroidery, 42-inch.....35c 30c Embroidery, 18-inch.....20c 15c Embroidery.....10c 10c Embroidery.....7c 7 1/2c Embroidery.....5c 5c Embroidery.....3c LADIES' READY-MADE SKIRTS. \$11.50 Skirts, Sale Price.....\$5.75 \$ 9.50 Skirts, Sale Price.....\$4.75 \$ 8.50 Skirts, Sale Price.....\$4.25 \$ 6.00 Skirts, Sale Price.....\$3.00 \$ 5.50 Skirts, Sale Price.....\$2.75 | | MILLINERY. Anything you may need from this department in the way of headwear will be sold to you at exactly half price. Don't forget this department when you visit us. CALICOES, &C. Calico.....5c Hoosier Domestic.....5 1/2c Hope Beach.....8c READY-MADE WAISTS. \$5.00 Shirt Waists.....\$3.00 \$4.00 Shirt Waists.....\$2.50 \$1.75 Shirt Waists.....\$1.25 \$1.25 Shirt Waists.....90c 50c Shirt Waists.....38c UNDERSKIRTS. \$5.50 Black Silk Underskirt, Sale Price.....\$3.00 \$2.25 Colored Silk Underskirt, Sale Price.....\$1.30 \$1.50 Colored Silk Underskirt, Sale Price.....\$1.15 \$1.50 Black Underskirt, Sale Price.....98c \$1.00 Muslin Underskirt, Sale Price.....60c LACES, TRIMMINGS, &C. \$1.50 All-over Lace.....\$1.10 \$1.40 All-over Lace.....\$1.00 \$1.25 All-over Lace.....85c 50c All-over Lace.....35c \$1.00 White and Champagne Ned.....65c 40c Lace Inserting.....25c 30c Lace Inserting.....19c 20c Lace Inserting.....15c 15c Lace Inserting.....9c 25c Lace.....25c 30c Lace.....20c 20c Lace.....12 1/2c 30c Shadow Lace.....20c 10c Lace Inserting.....7c TRUNKS AND TRAVELING BAGS. \$7.00 Trunks, Sale Price.....\$5.00 \$5.00 Trunks, Sale Price.....\$3.50 \$5.00 Leather Traveling Bags, Sale Price.....\$3.50 \$3.00 Leather Traveling Bags, Sale Price.....\$2.00 \$3.00 Suit Case, Sale Price.....\$2.00 \$1.25 Suit Case, Sale Price.....90c CARPETING AND MATTING. 25c and 30c Matting.....19c 90c Wool Carpet.....65c 50c Matting Rugs.....35c PICTURE FRAMES. Regular \$2.50 Picture Frames will be sold at 75c each. These frames are the size for enlarged pictures. GROCERIES. 12 bars Calumet Soap.....25c 8 bars Fine Toilet Soap.....25c 7 bars Clean Easy.....25c 4 10c Twists J. B. Tobacco.....25c 8 large boxes Matches.....25c 2 packages Arbuckles Coffee.....45c 20c Loose Coffee.....15c 30c Loose Coffee.....25c 20-lbs. Granulated Sugar.....\$1.00 1 24-lb. Sack Best Patent Flour.....60c 1 barrel Best Patent Flour.....\$1.75 1 \$1.00 can Best Buggy Paint.....75c 50-lb. can Swift's Premium Lard.....\$6.75 | |
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We are expecting to serve our friends and customers better at this Sale than any we have ever had, having bought new goods in almost every department which you will have the benefit of during the dates above mentioned. Come early and arrange to do all your buying from every department, as this is a genuine sacrifice, such as no other merchant gives you. We show our appreciation of your business twice each year by giving you better prices, and "our better prices" cause many people to wait, knowing our custom and knowing the real saving at our Sale over other Sales.

Don't overlook our Rogers Silverware deal which goes during this Sale. A chance to get table silverware for a very little money. We will expect you. Come. We will do our best to have you "save the difference," and feel that you have been financially benefited. Don't forget the dates and come early and often.

S. J. TICHENOR, - McHenry, Ky.